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# NPS Structural Fire Protection Internships

## Expected Dates

May 14, 2017 to July 22, 2017

## Site

National Park Service - NIFC

## Position ID

PO-00711755

The National Park Service (NPS) Structural Fire Protection Internship provides students enrolled in fire protection engineering or fire administration degree programs an opportunity to gain practical work experience that will augment academic training related to the duties of a Fire Protection Specialist. The intern will support park efforts to establish and maintain an effective structural fire prevention program, reducing the risks of death, injury, lost buildings, and historic collections from the effects of structural fires.

As a NPS Structural Fire Protection Intern, you may be responsible for the following duties, which can vary by park location:

- Assist with the development of a fire inspection program by identifying occupancy types (target hazards) and assessing their associated risks to life safety in the event of a structural fire.
- Develop evacuation plans.
- Assist with the development of inspection, testing, and maintenance plans for fire protection systems.
- Conduct training classes on portable fire extinguishers.
- Establish a fire hydrant inspection and flow test program.
- Establish a hot work permit program.
- Review plans for new construction and providing feedback to the Regional Structural Fire Manager (RSFM).

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Additional task will be specific to each work site.

This 10 week internship can have flexible starting and ending dates between May 14th, 2017 and August 31st, 2017.

**Location Description**

The service locations for these positions will be announced in January 2017.

**Training Provided**

Interns will receive initial orientation and on-the-job training, as well as participate in biweekly conference calls with subject matter experts and mentors.

Depending on the park, other training may be offered by the local supervisor.

**Educational/Recreational Opportunities**

Each park has diverse recreational opportunities that may include hiking, climbing, kayaking, and sightseeing.

**Handicap Accessible?**

No

**Main Area of Focus**

Cultural/Historical Resource Mgmt

**Education, Training & Skills Expected**

Computer Science: competent without supervision

Data Entry: competent without supervision

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